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APPLICATION FOR REISSUE OF:

☒ Utility Patent   ☐ Design Patent   ☐ Plant Patent  
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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/56)
2. ☒ Specification and Claims in double column copy of patent format (amended, if appropriate)
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (proposed amendments, if appropriate)
4. ☒ Reissue Oath/Declaration (original or copy) (37 CFR 1.175)(PTO/SB/51 or 52)
5. Original U.S. Patent
  - ☐ Offer to Surrender Original Patent (37 CFR 1.178)(PTO/SB/53 or 54)
  - or
  - ☐ Ribbonded Original Patent Grant   ☐ Affidavit/Declaration of Loss (PTO/SB/55)
6. Original U.S. Patent currently assigned?
  - ☒ Yes   ☐ No   (If Yes, check applicable box(es), below)
  - ☐ Written Consent of all Assignees (PTO/SB/53 or 54)
  - ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement   ☐ Power of Attorney

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. ☐ Foreign Priority Claim (35 USC 119) (if applicable)
8. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449   ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
9. ☐ English Translation of Reissue Oath/Declaration (if applicable)
10. ☐ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status
11. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
12. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
13. ☐ Other:

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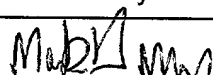
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